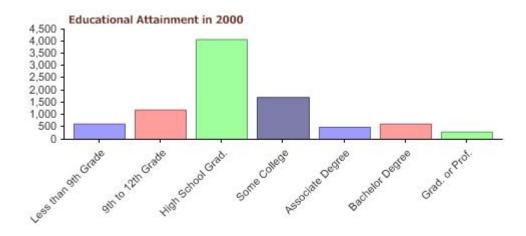
## Pulaski County, IN Highlights

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Overview	<u>Population</u>	Education	Commuting	<u>Labor Force</u>	<u>Industry</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Firm Size</u>

## **Education**

The level of education of our workforce is a critical factor for economic and community development. It often provides insight into the skill levels of a local area. The metrics provided here focus on the attainment of degrees and high school graduates' higher education intent. The type of work (occupations) residents perform can also assist in understanding skill levels.

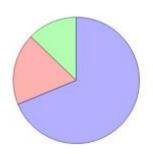
<b>Educational Attainment</b>				
	1970	1980	1990	2000
Total Population 25 and Older	N/A	N/A	7,974	9,038
Less than 9th Grade	N/A	N/A	751	631
9th to 12th, No Diploma	N/A	N/A	1,490	1,198
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	N/A	N/A	3,591	4,073
Some College, No Degree	N/A	N/A	1,012	1,714
Associate Degree	N/A	N/A	418	495
Bachelors Degree	N/A	N/A	432	627
Graduate or Professional Degree	N/A	N/A	280	300



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

High School Graduates Going on to Higher Education					
	2004	2005	2006	2007	
Total Graduates	157	155	153	157	
Total to Higher Education	126	122	112	109	
Four-Year Institution	74	93	83	75	
Two-Year Institution	37	23	18	20	
Vocational/Tech.	15	6	11	14	
Military	3	3	6	6	

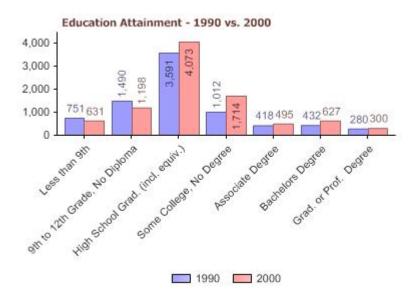
## 2007 Higher Education Intent



75 Four Year
20 Two Year
14 Vocational Tech.

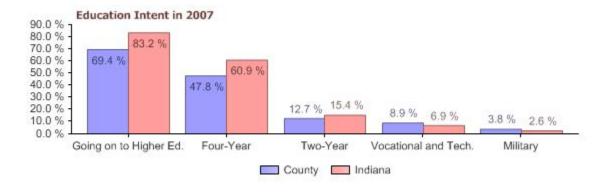
Source: Indiana Department of Education

Educational Attainment in 1990 and 2000						
	1990	Pct. of Pop. 25+	2000	Pct. of Pop. 25+		
Total Population 25+	7,974	100.0%	9,038	100.0%		
Less than 9th Grade	751	9.4%	631	7.0%		
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	1,490	18.7%	1,198	13.3%		
High School Graduate (incl. equivalency)	3,591	45.0%	4,073	45.1%		
Some College, No Degree	1,012	12.7%	1,714	19.0%		
Associate's Degree	418	5.2%	495	5.5%		
Bachelor's Degree	432	5.4%	627	6.9%		
Graduate or Professional Degree	280	3.5%	300	3.3%		



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

High School Graduates Higher Education Intent					
	2007 Pct. Dist.	Indiana Pct. Dist.			
Graduates	100.0%	100.0%			
Total Going on to Higher Education	69.4%	83.2%			
Four-Year Institution	47.8%	60.9%			
Two-Year Institution	12.7%	15.4%			
Vocational and Tech.	8.9%	6.9%			
Military	3.8%	2.6%			



Source: Indiana Department of Education